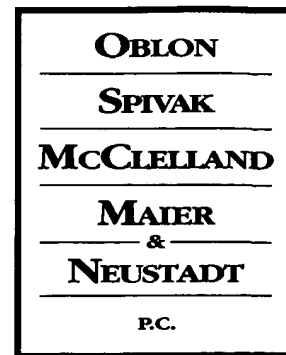


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In response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2005, reconsideration of the grounds for objection and rejection are presented, as follows:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.